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Senate Bill No. 1452

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The Committee on Appropriations reported through SEN. CRISCO of the 17th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

**AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR THE DEPARTMENTS
OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND PUBLIC WORKS AND THE
STATE PROPERTIES REVIEW BOARD.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) The Commissioner of Administrative Services
2 shall review the functions and activities of the department in order to
3 assess the cost-effectiveness of such functions and activities and assign
4 priority for their continued funding. The commissioner shall submit
5 findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of the
6 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
7 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies not later than
8 February 20, 2002, and annually thereafter.

9 Sec. 2. (NEW) The Commissioner of Public Works shall review the
10 functions and activities of the department in order to assess the
11 cost-effectiveness of such functions and activities and assign priority
12 for their continued funding. The commissioner shall submit findings

13 and recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General
14 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and
15 the budgets of state agencies not later than February 20, 2002, and
16 annually thereafter.

17 Sec. 3. (NEW) The chairperson of the State Properties Review Board
18 shall review the functions and activities of the board in order to assess
19 the cost-effectiveness of such functions and activities and assign
20 priority for their continued funding. The chairperson shall submit
21 findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of the
22 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
23 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies not later than
24 February 20, 2002, and annually thereafter.

APP *Joint Favorable*

The following fiscal impact statement and bill analysis are prepared for the benefit of members of the General Assembly, solely for the purpose of information, summarization, and explanation, and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either House thereof for any purpose:

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Affected Agencies: Department of Administrative Services,
Department of Public Works, and State
Properties Review Board

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation**State Impact:**

The bill requires the commissioners of the Departments of Administrative Services and Public Works and the chairperson of the State Properties Review Board to review the functions and activities of their agencies, assign priority for the funding of their programs, and report their findings to the Appropriations Committee by February 20, 2002, and annually thereafter. This will not result in any additional cost to these agencies because they already report on their budgets and programs to the Appropriations Committee on an annual basis.

OFA Bill Analysis
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WORKS AND THE STATE PROPERTIES REVIEW BOARD.**

SUMMARY:

The bill requires (1) the Commissioner of Administrative Services, (2) the Commissioner of Public Works, and (3) the chairperson of the State Properties Review Board to review the functions and activities of their agencies in order to assess the cost-effectiveness of such functions and activities and assign priority for their continued funding. They are required to submit findings and recommendations to the Appropriations Committee not later than February 20, 2002, and annually thereafter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon Passage

COMMITTEE ACTION

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Report
Yea 51 Nay 0